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SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY DEVICE HAVING WORD LINES DRIVEN BY ROW SELECTING SIGNAL AND COLUMN SELECTING SIGNAL LINES ARRANGED PARALLEL TO EACH OTHER

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of January 26, 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Cancel claims 8-10, 13, 16-17, and 19.

REMARKS

The indication that claims 1-7, 11-12, 14-15, 18, and 20-22 have been allowed is acknowledged with thanks.

Claims 8-9 were rejected as anticipated by HARIMA 5,468,985 and claim 16 was rejected as unpatentable over HARIMA. These claims have been canceled.

Entry is approved by 03-28-01